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VIA FACSIMILE: (212) 805-7949 Mr. Andrew D'Agostino Courtroom Deputy Clerk\Case Manager for Hon. P. Kevin Castel, U.S.D.J. United States District Court Southern District of New York United States Courthouse 500 Pearl Street New York, NY 10007

> Re: Algonquin Capital Management, LLC v. Maceda, No. 07-CV-7522 (PKC)

Dear Mr. D'Agostino:

This firm represents plaintiff in the above-referenced matter. Pursuant to your email to counsel, dated October 10, 2007, we write on behalf of both parties to request a postponement or extension of the initial pre-trial conference in this matter. The pre-trial conference is presently scheduled for October 19, 2007 at 10:45 a.m., before the Honorable P. Kevin Castel. The lead trial attorneys for both parties are not available on that date, due to trial and deposition commitments.

The parties request that the conference be rescheduled to November 19th or 20th, if convenient for the Court. Counsel are also available between 12 p.m. and 2 p.m. on November 1, 2007.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or require any additional dates for the Court's consideration.

Sincerely

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